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SUBJECT: MORALES NOVEMBER 26 OSLO VISIT AN OPPORTUNITY TO
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Classified By: Deputy Chief of Mission Kevin M. Johnson
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1. (C) Embassy Oslo delivered points in reftel concerning the
expulsion of DEA from Bolivia to the head of the Latin
American section in the MFA, Hege Araldsen. Araldsen asked
if it would be possible to have more information on the
positive impact that the DEA has had in Bolivia. Bolivia's
President Morales will visit Oslo on November 26 and Araldsen
would like to be fully informed on the U.S. position on the
DEA issue as well as with other concerns the U.S. may have
regarding the Morales administration. Post requests
Department send detailed points which could be given to the
Norwegians to enable them to counter any anti-U.S. statements
during Morales' visit to Oslo.
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